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HATCHERY PRODUCTION
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Chick Production

The production of broiler-type chicks by commercial hatcheries during February totaled 160,487,000--up 7 percent from February 1959. Production of egg-type chicks totaled 38,336,000--down 38 percent from February 1959. The production of egg-type chicks was the smallest for the month since records began in 1955. The previous low for the month was in February 1957, when 56,269,000 egg-type chicks were hatched. The production of egg-type chicks during the first two months of 1960 totaled 62,023,000, compared with 97,237,000 during this period last year--a decrease of 36 percent. Production of broiler-type chicks totaled 321,196,000 during January and February 1960, compared with 304,195,000 during these months in 1959--an increase of 6 percent.

Hatchery reports on eggs in incubators March 1 indicate that the hatch of egg-type chicks during March will be much less than the hatch in March 1959. The hatch of broiler-type chicks will be about the same or slightly smaller than in March last year.

Poult Production

The production of heavy white breed poult during February was up 39 percent from February 1959. The production of other heavy breeds, mostly broad breasted bronze was up 55 percent. The production of heavy white breed poult totaled 1,524,000, compared with 1,094,000 in February 1959. Production of other heavy breed poult totaled 5,365,000 compared with 3,454,000 in February 1959. The number of light breed poult hatched during February totaled 781,000, compared with 1,360,000 in February last year--a decrease of 43 percent.

Turkey eggs in incubators on March 1, 1960 indicate that the number of heavy breed poult hatched in March will be larger than in March 1959. The hatch of light breed poult will be smaller.

Chicks hatched by Commercial Hatcheries

State and division	Broiler-type				Egg-type			
	February		January through February:		February			
	1959 1/	1960 2/	1959 1/	1960 2/	1959 1/	1960 2/	1959 1/	1960 2/
	Thousands	Thousands	Thousands	Thousands	Thousands	Thousands	Thousands	Thousands
Maine	4,719	4,379	9,516	9,004	615	450		
N.H.	1,219	937	2,593	1,953	359	180		
Vt.	16	0	30	0	40	34		
Mass.	1,109	860	2,424	1,626	1,577	1,050		
R.I.	253	229	478	439	50	14		
Conn.	3,437	2,650	6,965	5,401	1,154	788		
N.E.	10,753	9,055	22,006	18,423	3,795	2,516		
N.Y.	632	725	1,275	1,455	1,757	1,450		
N.J.	1,090	850	2,410	1,730	3,350	1,600		
Pa.	4,201	4,025	8,857	8,765	4,369	2,874		
M.A.	5,923	5,600	12,542	11,950	9,476	5,924		
Ohio	1,340	1,300	2,670	2,500	2,710	1,800		
Ind.	4,806	5,516	9,469	10,996	3,048	2,289		
Ill.	1,088	686	2,243	1,340	3,557	2,914		
Mich.	490	400	1,090	920	1,430	700		
Wis.	1,484	1,540	2,993	2,975	1,113	685		
E.N.C.	9,208	9,442	18,465	18,731	11,858	8,388		
Minn.	305	410	545	800	3,325	1,345		
Iowa	325	320	635	720	4,545	1,730		
Mo.	5,379	5,709	10,892	11,828	1,555	962		
N.Dak.	3/	3/	3/	3/	75	26		
S.Dak.	3/	3/	3/	3/	664	330		
Nebr.	103	68	187	139	1,822	909		
Kans.	271	250	604	520	930	600		
W.N.C.	4/ 6,386	4/ 6,765	4/ 12,867	4/ 14,015	12,916	5,902		
Del.	6,116	5,580	12,792	11,410	3/	3/		
Md.	7,372	10,384	15,239	21,744	200	120		
Va.	6,678	6,836	13,395	13,397	920	373		
W.Va.	900	780	1,779	1,566	3/	3/		
N.C.	11,929	12,233	23,288	24,253	1,485	709		
S.C.	1,686	1,842	3,488	3,508	613	429		
Ga.	25,862	29,328	51,978	58,246	2,293	888		
Fla.	1,484	1,513	3,035	3,021	1,282	1,060		
S.A.	62,027	68,496	124,994	137,145	5/ 6,880	5/ 3,601		
Ky.	1,180	1,200	2,545	2,200	445	250		
Tenn.	3,400	3,550	6,890	6,850	1,030	700		
Ala.	11,212	13,335	22,479	25,961	915	472		
Miss.	8,545	10,034	16,993	20,077	650	241		
E.S.C.	24,337	28,119	48,907	55,088	3,040	1,663		
Ark.	12,265	13,115	24,495	25,987	542	244		
La.	2,053	1,639	4,110	3,372	333	229		
Okla.	900	685	1,775	1,460	640	330		
Texas	8,596	9,796	18,066	19,192	3,240	2,162		
W.S.C.	23,814	25,235	48,446	50,011	4,755	2,965		
Mont.&N.Mex. 3/	21	18	22	19	167	114		
Idaho	329	316	615	614	320	144		
Wyo.&Ariz. 3/	60	60	115	115	176	170		
Colo.	46	51	102	98	339	226		
Utah	169	162	328	397	356	246		
Nev.	---	---	---	---	---	---		
Mount.	625	607	1,182	1,243	1,358	900		
Wash.	1,190	1,237	2,466	2,542	1,157	1,087		
Oreg.	1,330	1,252	2,738	2,528	587	504		
Calif.	4,591	4,679	9,582	9,520	5,601	4,886		
Pac.	7,111	7,168	14,786	14,590	7,345	6,477		
U.S.	150,184	160,487	304,195	321,196	61,423	38,336		

1/ Revised. 2/ Preliminary. 3/ Combined to avoid disclosing individual operations.

4/ West North Central total includes North and South Dakota. 5/ South Atlantic total includes Delaware and West Virginia.

Chicks hatched by commercial hatcheries (Continued)

State and division	Egg-type		Total				
	January through Feb.		February		January through Feb.		
	1959 1/	1960 2/	Average 1954-58	1959 1/	1960 2/	1959 1/	1960 2/
	Thousands	Thousands	Thousands	Thousands	Thousands	Thousands	Thousands
Maine	1,013	771	3,492	5,334	4,829	10,529	9,775
N.H.	724	380	2,381	1,578	1,117	3,317	2,333
Vt.	76	64	98	56	34	106	64
Mass.	2,706	1,936	3,058	2,686	1,910	5,130	3,562
R.I.	104	22	237	303	243	582	461
Conn.	2,190	1,468	4,943	4,591	3,438	9,155	6,869
N.E.	6,813	4,641	14,210	14,548	11,571	28,819	23,064
N.Y.	3,319	2,530	3,195	2,389	2,175	4,594	3,985
N.J.	5,450	2,500	6,113	4,440	2,450	7,860	4,230
Pa.	7,093	5,189	8,979	8,570	6,899	15,950	13,954
M.A.	15,862	10,219	18,287	15,399	11,524	28,404	22,169
Ohio	4,160	2,600	5,684	4,050	3,100	6,830	5,100
Ind.	4,374	3,433	9,985	7,854	7,805	13,843	14,429
Ill.	4,828	3,810	6,932	4,645	3,600	7,071	5,150
Mich.	2,100	1,110	2,998	1,920	1,100	3,190	2,030
Wis.	1,525	868	2,288	2,597	2,225	4,518	3,843
E.N.C.	16,987	11,821	27,886	21,066	17,830	35,452	30,552
Minn.	3,975	1,630	3,780	3,630	1,755	4,520	2,430
Iowa	5,580	2,150	5,677	4,870	2,050	6,215	2,870
Mo.	2,023	1,217	7,388	6,934	6,671	12,915	13,045
N.Dak.	82	26	60	78	34	85	34
S.Dak.	802	382	580	664	330	803	382
Nebr.	2,550	1,104	2,169	1,925	977	2,737	1,243
Kans.	1,168	830	2,023	1,201	850	1,772	1,350
W.N.C.	16,180	7,339	21,677	19,302	12,667	29,047	21,354
Del.	3/	3/	3/	3/	3/	3/	3/
Md.	307	163	6,191	7,572	10,504	15,546	21,907
Va.	1,363	592	6,575	7,598	7,209	14,758	13,989
W.Va.	3/	3/	3/	3/	3/	3/	3/
N.C.	2,168	1,008	8,814	13,414	12,942	25,456	25,261
S.C.	1,034	747	1,597	2,299	2,271	4,522	4,255
Ga.	4,260	1,905	18,644	28,155	30,216	56,238	60,151
Fla.	2,381	2,054	2,725	2,766	2,573	5,416	5,075
S.A.	4/11,651	4/6,498	4/51,064	4/68,907	4/72,097	4/136,645	4/143,643
Ky.	560	350	1,822	1,625	1,450	3,105	2,550
Tenn.	1,650	1,150	3,091	4,430	4,250	8,540	8,000
Ala.	1,712	835	6,048	12,127	13,807	24,191	26,796
Miss.	1,143	509	4,692	9,195	10,275	18,136	20,586
E.S.C.	5,065	2,844	15,653	27,377	29,782	53,972	57,932
Ark.	1,319	415	7,808	12,807	13,359	25,814	26,402
La.	643	427	1,165	2,386	1,868	4,753	3,799
Okla.	890	630	1,822	1,540	1,015	2,665	2,090
Texas	5,729	3,690	10,721	11,836	11,958	23,795	22,882
W.S.C.	8,581	5,162	21,516	28,569	28,200	57,027	55,173
Mont.&N.Mex.	3/ 188	136	254	188	132	210	155
Idaho	436	226	770	861	670	1,470	1,175
Wyo.&Ariz.	3/ 328	240	27	24	20	24	20
Colo.	479	336	633	385	277	581	434
Utah	548	426	428	525	408	876	823
Nev.	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Mount.	1,979	1,364	2,112	1,983	1,507	3,161	2,607
Wash.	2,165	1,747	2,382	2,347	2,324	4,631	4,289
Oreg.	926	801	1,817	1,917	1,756	3,664	3,329
Calif.	11,028	9,587	9,485	10,192	9,565	20,610	19,107
Pac.	14,119	12,135	13,684	14,456	13,645	28,905	26,725
U.S.	97,237	62,023	186,088	211,607	198,823	401,432	383,219

1/ Revised. 2/ Preliminary. 3/ Combined to avoid disclosing individual operations. 4/ South Atlantic total includes Delaware and West Virginia.

Baby chicks and turkey poults: Average prices paid to commercial hatcheries,
February 1, 1960

State and division	Baby chicks, per 100			Turkey poults, each		
	Broiler	Egg-type pullets		Heavy breeds		Light breeds
	breeds straight run	Pure	Incross breeds	White	Other	
		breeds	(hybrids)			
	Dol.	Dol.	Dol.	Ct.	Ct.	Ct.
Maine	1/ 11.0	32.5	---	---	---	---
N.H.	11.0	36.5	---	78	---	---
Vt.	---	35.0	---	---	---	---
Mass.	11.5	37.5	---	82	87	---
R.I.	11.0	32.5	---	---	---	---
Conn.	1/ 11.5	32.5	---	81	---	60
N.E.	11.2	35.0	---	79.5	---	---
N.Y.	12.0	40.0	57.0	80	---	---
N.J.	15.0	37.0	52.0	80	90	---
Pa.	1/ 11.5	37.0	47.5	1/85	1/100	1/55
M.A.	12.0	37.5	47.8	81.7	98.9	---
Ohio	12.0	37.0	52.0	75	75	50
Ind.	11.0	30.0	48.0	52	64	45
Ill.	13.5	36.0	51.0	64	69	50
Mich.	13.0	39.0	55.0	70	72	55
Wis.	13.0	35.5	53.0	55	70	---
E.N.C.	11.8	35.4	51.2	60.8	68.9	48.6
Minn.	12.0	36.5	50.0	1/54	1/61	1/38
Iowa	12.0	39.0	53.0	---	1/70	1/45
Mo.	1/ 8.5	32.0	50.0	1/61	1/61	1/46
N.Dak.	---	---	---	---	---	---
S.Dak.	17.5	36.0	52.0	---	70	---
Nebr.	16.0	33.0	49.0	67	71	60
Kans.	10.5	30.5	54.0	---	---	---
W.N.C.	9.3	34.4	50.4	54.4	65.4	40.8
Del.	1/11.5	---	53.0	---	---	---
Md.	1/11.5	---	56.0	---	---	---
Va. 1/	11.0	39.0	55.0	69	74	40
W.Va.	1/12.0	---	---	---	---	---
N.C.	1/10.5	34.5	50.0	---	59	---
S.C. 1/	10.5	36.5	---	68	65	49
Ga.	1/ 9.2	38.0	50.0	---	65	---
Fla.	1/11.5	41.5	58.0	---	65	48
S.A.	10.3	38.1	53.2	68.9	62.7	41.4
Ky.	10.0	32.0	55.0	---	---	---
Tenn.	11.0	40.0	55.0	---	---	---
Ala.	1/10.0	40.0	56.0	70	70	50
Miss.	1/ 8.8	38.0	50.0	55	60	45
E.S.C.	9.6	38.4	54.6	---	---	---
Ark.	1/ 9.3	---	47.5	50	65	49
La.	1/ 9.5	44.0	56.0	---	---	---
Okla.	11.5	29.0	51.0	---	68	40
Texas	1/ 9.5	40.5	52.0	1/45	1/60	1/40
W.S.C.	9.4	38.1	51.1	---	60.8	44.0
Mont.	20.0	39.0	46.5	---	---	---
Idaho	13.5	42.0	55.0	---	67	45
Wyo.	17.0	35.0	57.0	---	---	---
Colo.	14.0	33.0	57.0	---	64	---
N.Mex.	---	---	---	---	65	---
Ariz.	18.0	44.0	47.0	65	60	---
Utah	14.5	40.0	45.0	---	65	45
Nev.	---	---	---	---	---	---
Mount.	14.4	39.0	53.9	---	64.8	---
Wash. 1/	13.0	43.0	48.0	---	65	---
Oreg. 1/	15.0	35.0	44.5	50	65	40
Calif. 1/	13.0	37.0	50.0	60	50	45
Pac.	13.4	37.6	49.1	59.8	52.9	43.7
U.S.	10.4	36.6	50.3	56.8	61.5	42.5

1/ As of the 15th of the month.

Chicks hatched by commercial hatcheries - United States

Month	By months			Cumulative			
	1959 <u>1</u> /	1960 <u>2</u> /	:Change from: : last year :	1959 <u>1</u> /	1960 <u>2</u> /	Change from last year	
	Thou.	Thou.	Pct.	Thou.	Thou.	Thou.	Pct.
<u>Broiler-type</u>							
January	154,011	160,709	+ 4	154,011	160,709	+ 6,698	+ 4
February	150,184	160,487	+ 7	304,195	321,196	+17,001	+ 6
March	183,457			487,652			
April	180,639			668,291			
May	175,142			843,433			
June	169,356			1,012,789			
July	166,421			1,179,210			
August	149,932			1,329,142			
September	122,069			1,451,211			
October	121,660			1,572,871			
November	129,729			1,702,600			
December	141,520			1,884,120			
<u>Egg-type</u>							
January	35,814	23,687	-34	35,814	23,687	-12,127	-34
February	61,423	38,336	-38	97,237	62,023	-35,214	-36
March	117,836			215,073			
April	129,598			344,671			
May	85,782			430,453			
June	27,240			457,693			
July	13,984			471,677			
August	13,404			485,081			
September	13,818			498,899			
October	14,290			513,189			
November	13,465			526,654			
December	14,338			540,992			
<u>Total chicks</u>							
January	189,825	184,396	- 3	189,825	184,396	- 5,429	- 3
February	211,607	198,823	- 6	401,432	383,219	-18,213	- 5
March	301,293			702,725			
April	310,237			1,012,962			
May	260,924			1,273,886			
June	196,596			1,470,482			
July	180,405			1,650,887			
August	163,336			1,814,223			
September	135,887			1,950,110			
October	135,950			2,086,060			
November	143,194			2,229,254			
December	155,858			2,385,112			

1/ Revised
2/ Preliminary

Chicken eggs in incubators March 1, 1960

Geographic divisions	Percent change from March 1, 1959		
	Broiler-type	Egg-type	Total-eggs
New England	- 15	- 29	- 19
Middle Atlantic	- 7	- 35	- 26
East North Central	- 11	- 39	- 31
West North Central	- 1	- 49	- 41
South Atlantic	- 2	- 40	- 7
East South Central	+ 9	- 28	+ 4
West South Central	- 8	- 34	- 13
Mountain	- 7	- 36	- 30
Pacific	- 1	- 17	- 9
United States	- 3	- 39	- 17

Poults hatched and turkey eggs in incubators

Geographic divisions	White		Other		Total		Light breeds	
	heavy breeds 1/		heavy breeds 1/		heavy breeds 1/		1/	
	1959 3/	1960 2/	1959 3/	1960 2/	1959 3/	1960 2/	1959 3/	1960 2/
	Thou.	Thou.	Thou.	Thou.	Thou.	Thou.	Thou.	Thou.
Poults hatched during February								
New England	9	7	0	0	9	7	0	0
Middle Atlantic	36	18	80	54	116	72	5	1
East North Central	196	261	247	385	443	646	199	90
West North Central	582	951	1,526	2,361	2,108	3,312	320	195
South Atlantic	62	97	162	179	224	276	497	358
South Central	81	86	127	374	208	460	182	39
West	128	104	1,312	2,012	1,440	2,116	157	98
United States	1,094	1,524	3,454	5,365	4,548	6,889	1,360	781
Turkey eggs in incubators March 1								
New England	52	85	16	7	68	92	1	1
Middle Atlantic	142	82	232	122	374	204	5	5
East North Central	586	914	1,456	1,622	2,042	2,536	282	107
West North Central	1,789	2,087	5,687	6,741	7,476	8,828	642	404
South Atlantic	137	357	684	585	821	942	1,277	642
South Central	255	267	1,028	1,538	1,283	1,805	244	39
West	187	254	4,757	5,199	4,944	5,453	243	199
United States	3,148	4,046	13,860	15,814	17,008	19,860	2,694	1,397

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Poults hatched by commercial hatcheries - United States

Month	By months			Cumulative			
	1959 3/	1960 2/	Change from last year	1959 3/	1960 2/	Change from last year	
	Thou.	Thou.	Pct.	Thou.	Thou.	Thou.	Pct.
Heavy white breeds 1/							
January	1,141	1,181	+ 4	1,141	1,181	+ 40	+ 4
February	1,094	1,524	+ 39	2,235	2,705	+ 470	+ 21
March	1,964			4,199			
April	2,818			7,017			
May	3,661			10,678			
June	3,078			13,756			
July	2,065			15,821			
August	1,004			16,825			
September	772			17,597			
October	863			18,460			
November	1,192			19,652			
December	1,238			20,890			
Other heavy breeds 1/							
January	1,283	1,929	+ 50	1,283	1,929	+ 646	+ 50
February	3,454	5,365	+ 55	4,737	7,294	+2,557	+ 54
March	9,307			14,044			
April	13,303			27,347			
May	13,172			40,519			
June	8,514			49,033			
July	2,244			51,277			
August	86			51,363			
September	46			51,409			
October	114			51,523			
November	376			51,899			
December	857			52,756			
Total all heavy breeds 1/							
January	2,424	3,110	+ 28	2,424	3,110	+ 686	+ 28
February	4,548	6,889	+ 51	6,972	9,999	+3,027	+ 43
March	11,271			18,243			
April	16,121			34,364			
May	16,833			51,197			
June	11,592			62,789			
July	4,309			67,098			
August	1,090			68,188			
September	818			69,006			
October	977			69,983			
November	1,568			71,551			
December	2,095			73,646			

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Poults hatched by commercial hatcheries - United States

Month	By months			Cumulative			
	1959 <u>3/</u>	1960 <u>2/</u>	Change from last year	1959 <u>3/</u>	1960 <u>2/</u>	Change from last year	
	Thou.	Thou.	Pct.	Thou.	Thou.	Thou.	Pct.
<u>Light breeds 1/</u>							
January	1,540	545	- 65	1,540	545	- 995	- 65
February	1,360	781	- 43	2,900	1,326	-1,574	- 54
March	1,769			4,669			
April	1,943			6,612			
May	2,434			9,046			
June	2,160			11,206			
July	1,856			13,062			
August	1,068			14,130			
September	387			14,517			
October	317			14,834			
November	363			15,197			
December	559			15,756			
<u>Total all breeds 1/</u>							
January	3,964	3,655	- 8	3,964	3,655	- 309	- 8
February	5,908	7,670	+ 30	9,872	11,325	+1,453	+ 15
March	13,040			22,912			
April	18,064			40,976			
May	19,267			60,243			
June	13,752			73,995			
July	6,165			80,160			
August	2,158			82,318			
September	1,205			83,523			
October	1,294			84,817			
November	1,931			86,748			
December	2,654			89,402			

1/ Heavy white breeds include heavy white-feathered breeds, such as Broad white, white Holland, Empire white, Lancaster, and crosses with light white breeds. All other heavy breeds are reported under "other". Light breeds include Beltsville, Jersey Buff, Royal Palm and wild turkeys.

2/ Preliminary.

3/ Revised

Turkey poults hatched by commercial hatcheries

State and division	Heavy breeds		Light breeds		Total all breeds	
	1958	1959	1958	1959	1958	1959
	Thousands	Thousands	Thousands	Thousands	Thousands	Thousands
Maine	72	38	3	1	75	39
N.H.	169	152	1	0	170	152
Vt.	56	43	0	0	56	43
Mass.	386	348	8	8	394	356
R.I.	19	18	1	1	20	19
Conn.	244	325	3	0	247	325
N.E.	946	924	16	10	962	934
N.Y.	---	---	---	---	1/612	1/553
N.J.	138	141	9	10	147	151
Pa.	1,103	1,039	162	103	1,265	1,142
M.A.	1,849	1,728	175	118	2,024	1,846
Ohio	3,263	2,496	1,708	1,557	4,971	4,053
Ind.	---	---	---	---	1/1,111	1/1,074
Ill.	1,120	1,156	150	212	1,270	1,368
Mich.	2,637	2,239	68	301	2,705	2,540
Wis.	---	---	---	---	1/2,618	1/2,806
E.N.C.	10,528	9,684	2,147	2,157	12,675	11,841
Minn.	12,714	16,445	1,743	2,042	14,457	18,487
Iowa	5,958	6,734	1,032	1,370	6,990	8,104
Mo.	3,501	3,299	269	319	3,770	3,618
N.Dak.	547	641	12	12	559	653
S.Dak.	---	---	---	---	1/298	1/324
Nebr.	---	---	---	---	1/1,284	1/1,416
Kans.	---	---	---	---	1/940	1/1,121
W.N.C.	25,132	29,750	3,166	3,973	28,298	33,723
Del.	---	---	---	---	1/ 21	1/ 51
Md.-W.Va.	---	---	---	---	1/688	1/573
Va.	2,667	1,796	6,211	6,076	8,878	7,872
N.C.	1,486	1,530	137	32	1,623	1,562
S.C.	---	---	---	---	1/1,079	1/921
Ga.	---	---	---	---	1/297	1/315
Fla.	327	289	208	294	535	583
S.A.	6,007	5,042	7,114	6,835	13,121	11,877
Ky.	---	---	---	---	1/816	1/865
Ala.	30	33	13	11	43	44
Miss.-Tenn.	---	---	---	---	1/142	1/184
-La.	---	---	---	---	1,880	1,501
Ark.	1,501	1,234	379	267	1,121	1,020
Okla.	892	847	229	173	4,117	4,146
Texas	3,657	3,478	460	668	8,119	7,760
S.C.	7,005	6,571	1,114	1,189	---	---
Mont-Idaho	---	---	---	---	1/222	1/404
-N.Mex.	---	---	---	---	---	---
Wyo.	---	---	---	---	1/641	1/450
Colo.	---	---	---	---	79	108
Ariz.	79	108	0	0	1,690	1,715
Utah	1,456	1,551	234	164	---	---
Nev.	---	---	---	---	1/531	1/463
Wash.	---	---	---	---	3,256	3,474
Oreg.	3,044	3,082	212	392	15,532	14,807
Calif.	15,067	14,002	465	805	21,951	21,421
West.	21,025	19,947	926	1,474	---	---
U. S.	72,492	73,646	14,658	15,756	87,150	89,402

1/ Heavy and light breeds combined and in some cases States combined to avoid disclosing individual operations.

Broiler type chicks hatched by commercial hatcheries 1959 (Revised)

State and division	January	February	March	April	May	June
	Thousands	Thousands	Thousands	Thousands	Thousands	Thousands
Maine	4,797	4,719	5,357	5,256	5,436	5,147
N.H.	1,374	1,219	1,472	1,378	1,288	1,358
Vt.	14	16	8	10	0	9
Mass.	1,315	1,109	1,217	1,249	1,285	1,303
R.I.	225	253	271	286	283	261
Conn.	3,528	3,437	3,688	3,506	3,569	3,298
N.E.	11,253	10,753	12,013	11,685	11,861	11,376
N.Y.	643	632	757	726	793	772
N.J.	1,320	1,090	1,130	920	930	1,030
Pa.	4,656	4,201	5,087	5,020	4,570	4,618
M.A.	6,619	5,923	6,974	6,666	6,293	6,420
Ohio	1,330	1,340	1,690	1,400	1,690	1,520
Ind.	4,663	4,806	6,285	6,506	6,065	6,084
Ill.	1,155	1,088	1,379	1,236	988	759
Mich.	600	490	530	490	560	530
Wis.	1,509	1,484	1,603	1,711	1,531	1,771
E.N.C.	9,257	9,208	11,487	11,343	10,834	10,664
Minn.	240	305	330	402	440	390
Iowa	310	325	460	400	435	470
Mo.	5,513	5,379	6,644	6,656	5,868	5,860
N.Dak.	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/
S.Dak.	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/
Nebr.	84	103	155	173	163	185
Kans.	333	271	467	451	415	341
W.N.C.	2/6,481	2/6,386	2/8,075	2/8,120	2/7,340	2/7,253
Del.	6,676	6,116	6,767	6,662	6,393	5,630
Md.	7,867	7,372	8,829	8,388	8,039	9,220
Va.	6,717	6,678	8,482	7,776	8,069	7,298
W.Va.	879	900	1,104	1,072	1,107	1,040
N.C.	11,359	11,929	13,976	13,530	12,622	12,122
S.C.	1,802	1,686	1,877	1,706	1,667	1,627
Ga.	26,116	25,862	32,804	32,077	32,039	30,085
Fla.	1,551	1,484	1,768	1,611	1,546	1,570
S.A.	62,967	62,027	75,607	72,822	71,482	68,592
Ky.	1,365	1,180	1,720	1,535	1,685	1,415
Tenn.	3,490	3,400	4,050	4,110	3,850	3,820
Ala.	11,267	11,212	14,495	14,983	15,147	14,497
Miss.	8,448	8,545	10,421	10,480	10,274	9,861
E.S.C.	24,570	24,337	30,686	31,108	30,956	29,593
Ark.	12,230	12,265	15,296	15,126	14,471	13,489
La.	2,057	2,053	2,421	2,517	2,178	2,298
Okla.	875	900	1,045	1,100	850	730
Texas	9,470	8,596	10,706	10,883	10,474	10,849
W.S.C.	24,632	23,814	29,468	29,626	27,973	27,366
Mont. & N.Mex. 1/	1	21	26	53	46	32
Idaho 1/	286	329	372	431	360	335
Wyo. & Ariz. 1/	55	60	70	77	64	57
Colo.	56	46	91	149	94	93
Utah	159	169	193	248	232	220
Nev.	---	---	---	---	---	---
Mount.	557	625	752	958	796	737
Wash.	1,276	1,190	1,444	1,390	1,298	1,309
Oreg.	1,408	1,330	1,487	1,531	1,554	1,438
Calif.	4,991	4,591	5,464	5,390	4,755	4,608
Pacific	7,675	7,111	8,395	8,311	7,607	7,355
U. S.	154,011	150,184	183,457	180,639	175,142	169,356

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State and division	July	August	September	October	November	December	Total
	Thousands	Thousands	Thousands	Thousands	Thousands	Thousands	Thousands
Maine	5,157	4,873	3,458	3,918	4,041	4,178	56,337
N.H.	1,074	826	678	746	777	984	13,174
Vt.	9	2	0	0	0	0	68
Mass	1,214	1,049	735	724	764	761	12,725
R.I.	238	202	165	210	212	175	2,781
Conn.	3,435	2,916	2,162	2,747	2,693	2,295	37,274
N.E.	11,127	9,868	7,198	8,345	8,487	8,393	122,359
N.Y.	796	764	582	545	611	632	8,253
N.J.	850	650	690	620	700	730	10,660
Pa.	4,298	4,133	3,628	3,029	3,718	4,318	51,276
M.A.	5,944	5,547	4,900	4,194	5,029	5,680	70,189
Ohio	1,350	1,280	990	780	1,130	1,160	15,660
Ind.	5,945	5,459	4,294	4,048	4,339	4,711	63,205
Ill.	696	657	545	579	583	602	10,267
Mich.	510	500	460	470	400	460	6,000
Wis.	1,561	1,453	1,148	981	1,327	1,288	17,367
E.N.C.	10,062	9,349	7,437	6,858	7,779	8,221	112,499
Minn.	368	268	280	310	260	335	3,928
Iowa	440	370	140	165	210	275	4,000
Mo.	5,897	5,521	3,905	3,521	3,949	4,806	63,519
N.Dak.	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/
S.Dak.	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/
Nebr.	125	123	136	114	98	97	1,556
Kans.	278	195	160	156	220	283	3,570
W.N.C.	2/7,108	2/6,477	2/4,621	2/4,266	2/4,737	2/5,796	2/76,660
Del.	5,436	4,642	3,456	3,695	4,476	5,732	65,681
Md.	9,832	9,086	8,239	8,609	9,021	10,441	104,943
Va.	6,739	5,885	4,480	4,369	5,085	5,447	77,025
W.Va.	995	901	682	604	716	836	10,836
N.C.	11,949	10,903	9,065	8,779	9,226	10,811	136,271
S.C.	1,632	1,462	1,230	1,388	1,519	1,604	19,200
Ga.	31,254	27,537	21,589	21,525	23,158	24,755	328,801
Fla.	1,527	1,345	1,454	1,437	1,260	1,397	17,950
S.A.	69,364	61,761	50,195	50,406	54,461	61,023	760,707
Ky.	1,305	1,100	720	640	755	975	14,395
Tenn	3,560	3,185	3,150	3,290	3,130	3,170	42,205
Ala.	13,755	12,646	10,542	10,037	10,214	11,082	149,877
Miss.	9,829	9,269	7,577	7,766	7,989	8,671	109,130
E.S.C.	28,449	26,200	21,989	21,733	22,088	23,898	315,607
Ark.	13,369	11,955	10,302	9,870	10,375	11,550	150,298
La.	2,212	2,081	1,426	1,400	1,484	1,498	23,625
Okla.	525	502	360	260	455	625	8,227
Texas	10,759	9,399	7,594	7,969	7,512	7,544	111,755
W.S.C.	26,865	23,937	19,682	19,499	19,826	21,217	293,905
Mont. & N.Mex. ^{1/}	8	0	0	0	0	0	187
Idaho	312	228	223	211	235	278	3,600
Wyo. & Ariz. ^{1/}	56	55	55	55	55	55	714
Colo.	43	48	26	26	44	41	757
Utah	204	115	74	117	126	135	1,992
Nev.	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Mount.	623	446	378	409	460	509	7,250
Wash.	1,174	1,145	968	973	1,069	1,070	14,306
Oreg.	1,209	1,038	836	689	813	1,037	14,370
Calif.	4,496	4,164	3,865	4,288	4,980	4,676	56,268
Pacific	6,879	6,347	5,669	5,950	6,862	6,783	84,944
U. S.	166,421	149,932	122,069	121,660	129,729	141,520	1,844,120

^{1/} Combined to avoid disclosing individual operations.

^{2/} West North Central total includes North and South Dakota.

Egg-type chicks hatched by commercial hatcheries 1959 (Revised)

State and division	January	February	March	April	May	June
	Thousands	Thousands	Thousands	Thousands	Thousands	Thousands
Maine	398	615	692	627	556	330
N.H.	365	359	616	621	508	235
Vt.	36	40	53	69	63	5
Mass.	1,129	1,577	1,900	1,607	1,152	458
R.I.	54	50	32	39	31	9
Conn.	1,036	1,154	1,579	1,261	774	343
N.E.	3,018	3,795	4,872	4,224	3,084	1,380
N.Y.	1,562	1,757	2,518	2,707	1,945	719
N.J.	2,100	3,350	4,680	3,140	1,530	340
Pa.	2,724	4,369	6,197	6,497	3,889	1,980
M.A.	6,386	9,476	13,395	12,344	7,364	3,039
Ohio	1,450	2,710	5,860	5,910	4,050	1,500
Ind.	1,326	3,048	6,690	6,855	4,882	2,105
Ill.	1,271	3,557	7,158	7,637	4,826	1,239
Mich.	670	1,430	2,200	2,550	1,850	560
Wis.	412	1,113	3,203	3,914	2,495	547
E.N.C.	5,129	11,858	25,111	26,866	18,103	5,951
Minn.	650	3,325	11,500	14,200	7,800	930
Iowa	1,035	4,545	12,450	19,040	13,645	1,615
Mo.	468	1,555	5,469	7,292	5,513	1,829
N.Dak.	7	75	811	1,474	1,020	157
S.Dak.	138	664	3,647	4,975	3,609	284
Nebr.	728	1,822	4,935	6,560	4,530	579
Kans.	238	930	2,909	3,541	1,713	199
W.N.C.	3,264	12,916	41,721	57,082	37,830	5,593
Del.	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/
Md.	107	200	342	307	281	84
Va.	443	920	1,521	1,523	841	299
W.Va.	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/
N.C.	683	1,485	2,207	1,620	884	403
S.C.	421	613	851	807	527	259
Ga.	1,967	2,293	2,969	2,749	1,707	722
Fla.	1,099	1,282	1,457	1,207	812	856
S.A.	3/ 4,771	3/ 6,880	3/ 9,599	3/ 8,496	3/ 5,280	3/ 2,684
Ky.	115	445	1,045	1,180	700	175
Tenn.	620	1,030	1,800	1,800	900	260
Ala.	797	915	1,058	1,031	778	358
Miss.	493	650	850	731	614	373
E.S.C.	2,025	3,040	4,753	4,742	2,992	1,166
Ark.	777	542	668	621	303	240
Ia.	310	333	498	345	314	178
Okla.	250	640	1,200	1,035	600	195
Texas	2,489	3,240	4,557	3,551	1,871	968
W.S.C.	3,826	4,755	6,923	5,552	3,088	1,581
Mont.&N.Mex. 1/	21	167	487	549	258	50
Idaho	116	320	563	526	237	77
Wyo.&Ariz. 1/	152	176	260	208	128	124
Colo.	140	339	668	534	395	212
Utah	192	356	504	360	177	71
Nev.	---	---	---	---	---	---
Mount.	621	1,358	2,482	2,177	1,195	534
Wash.	1,008	1,157	1,411	1,238	1,118	779
Oreg.	339	587	931	685	521	264
Calif.	5,427	5,601	6,638	6,192	5,207	4,269
Pac.	6,774	7 345	8,980	8,115	6,846	5,312
U.S.	35,814	61,423	117,836	129,598	85,782	27,240

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Egg type chicks hatched by commercial hatcheries 1959 (Revised)

State and division	July	August	September	October	November	December	Total
	Thousands	Thousands	Thousands	Thousands	Thousands	Thousands	Thousands
Maine	206	87	113	126	116	92	3,958
N.H.	102	145	63	155	235	165	3,569
Vt.	11	2	12	5	1	14	311
Mass.	196	187	269	383	429	559	9,846
R.I.	7	19	60	32	2	2	337
Conn.	241	301	281	455	357	394	8,176
N.E.	763	741	798	1,156	1,140	1,226	26,197
N.Y.	570	545	434	512	488	728	14,485
N.J.	310	200	280	380	290	240	16,840
Pa.	778	765	712	724	745	1,372	30,752
M.A.	1,658	1,510	1,426	1,616	1,523	2,340	62,077
Ohio	620	470	260	310	280	440	23,860
Ind.	813	697	683	494	501	490	28,584
Ill.	390	384	225	267	242	199	27,395
Mich.	160	130	150	230	180	390	10,500
Wis.	72	37	35	86	28	131	12,073
E.N.C.	2,055	1,718	1,353	1,387	1,231	1,650	102,412
Minn.	90	120	30	65	85	155	38,950
Iowa	80	55	45	55	165	170	52,900
Mo.	458	423	383	189	247	104	23,930
N.Dak.	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/
S.Dak.	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/
Nebr.	32	48	40	28	39	54	19,395
Kans.	66	87	130	116	95	80	10,104
W.N.C.	2/738	2/751	2/631	2/468	2/634	2/575	2/162,203
Del.	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/
Md.	36	44	23	19	8	15	1,466
Va.	205	142	196	248	149	187	6,674
W.Va.	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/
N.C.	255	272	335	383	282	248	9,057
S.C.	99	85	141	123	152	150	4,228
Ga.	507	587	565	705	451	515	15,737
Fla.	685	661	628	760	807	777	11,031
S.A.	3/1,797	3/1,798	3/1,897	3/2,238	3/1,852	3/1,898	3/49,190
Ky.	24	8	63	85	125	160	4,125
Tenn.	130	170	220	190	160	230	7,510
Ala.	165	115	234	248	240	218	6,157
Miss.	221	177	209	245	103	156	4,822
E.S.C.	540	470	726	768	628	764	22,614
Ark.	164	112	128	163	302	174	4,194
La.	195	84	118	130	109	126	2,740
Okla.	80	70	115	70	68	35	4,358
Texas	763	875	1,149	1,194	987	793	22,437
W.S.C.	1,202	1,141	1,510	1,557	1,466	1,128	33,729
Mont. & N.Mex. 1/	9	5	12	17	25	8	1,608
Idaho	34	41	76	61	40	76	2,167
Wyo. & Ariz. 1/	67	77	86	58	91	106	1,533
Colo.	104	60	81	71	67	85	2,756
Utah	41	37	89	102	32	140	2,101
Nev.	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Mount.	255	220	344	309	255	415	10,165
Wash.	492	655	636	567	614	473	10,148
Oreg.	186	177	187	187	131	139	4,334
Calif.	4,298	4,223	4,310	4,037	3,991	3,730	57,923
Pac.	4,976	5,055	5,133	4,791	4,736	4,342	72,405
U. S.	13,984	13,404	13,818	14,290	13,465	14,338	540,992

1/ Combined to avoid disclosing individual operations. 2/ West North Central total includes North and South Dakota. 3/ South Atlantic total includes Delaware and West Virginia.

All chicks hatched by commercial hatcheries 1959 (Revised)

State and division	January	February	March	April	May	June
	Thousands	Thousands	Thousands	Thousands	Thousands	Thousands
Maine	5,195	5,334	6,049	5,883	5,992	5,477
N.H.	1,739	1,578	2,088	1,999	1,796	1,593
Vt.	50	56	61	79	63	14
Mass.	2,444	2,686	3,117	2,856	2,437	1,761
R.I.	279	303	303	325	314	270
Conn.	4,564	4,591	5,267	4,767	4,343	3,641
N.E.	14,271	14,548	16,835	15,909	14,945	12,756
N.Y.	2,205	2,389	3,275	3,433	2,738	1,491
N.J.	3,420	4,440	5,810	4,060	2,460	1,370
Pa.	7,380	8,570	11,284	11,517	8,459	6,598
M.A.	13,005	15,399	20,369	19,010	13,657	9,459
Ohio	2,780	4,050	7,550	7,310	5,740	3,020
Ind.	5,989	7,854	12,975	13,361	10,947	8,189
Ill.	2,426	4,645	8,537	8,873	5,814	1,998
Mich.	1,270	1,920	2,730	3,040	2,410	1,090
Wis.	1,921	2,597	4,806	5,625	4,026	2,318
E.N.C.	14,386	21,066	36,598	38,209	28,937	16,615
Minn.	890	3,630	11,830	14,602	8,240	1,320
Iowa	1,345	4,870	12,910	19,440	14,080	2,085
Mo.	5,981	6,934	12,113	13,948	11,381	7,689
N.Dak.	7	78	824	1,509	1,039	164
S.Dak.	139	664	3,653	4,978	3,609	284
Nebr.	812	1,925	5,090	6,733	4,693	764
Kans.	571	1,201	3,376	3,992	2,128	540
W.N.C.	9,745	19,302	49,796	65,202	45,170	12,846
Del.	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/
Md.	7,974	7,572	9,171	8,695	8,320	9,304
Va.	7,160	7,598	10,003	9,299	8,910	7,597
W.Va.	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/
N.C.	12,042	13,414	16,183	15,150	13,506	12,525
S.C.	2,223	2,299	2,728	2,513	2,194	1,886
Ga.	28,083	28,155	35,773	34,826	33,746	30,807
Fla.	2,650	2,766	3,225	2,818	2,358	2,426
S.A.	3/ 67,738	3/ 68,907	3/ 85,206	3/ 81,318	3/ 76,762	3/ 71,276
Ky.	1,480	1,625	2,765	2,715	2,385	1,590
Tenn.	4,110	4,430	5,850	5,910	4,750	4,080
Ala.	12,064	12,127	15,553	16,014	15,925	14,855
Miss.	8,941	9,195	11,271	11,211	10,888	10,234
E.S.C.	26,595	27,377	35,439	35,850	33,948	30,759
Ark.	13,007	12,807	15,964	15,747	14,774	13,729
Ia.	2,367	2,386	2,919	2,862	2,492	2,476
Okla.	1,125	1,540	2,245	2,135	1,450	925
Texas	11,959	11,836	15,263	14,434	12,345	11,817
W.S.C.	28,458	28,569	36,391	35,178	31,061	28,947
Mont.&Wyo.& N.Mex. 1/	22	212	555	651	326	87
Idaho	402	649	935	957	597	412
Colo.	196	385	759	683	489	305
Ariz.	207	212	288	236	170	176
Utah	351	525	697	608	409	291
Nev.	---	---	---	---	---	---
Mount.	1,178	1,983	3,234	3,135	1,991	1,271
Wash.	2,284	2,347	2,855	2,628	2,416	2,088
Oreg.	1,747	1,917	2,418	2,216	2,075	1,702
Calif.	10,418	10,192	12,102	11,582	9,962	8,877
Pac.	14,449	14,456	17,375	16,426	14,453	12,667
U.S.	189,825	211,607	301,293	310,237	260,924	196,596

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All chicks hatched by commercial hatcheries 1959 (Revised)

State and division	July	August	September	October	November	December	Total
	Thousands	Thousands	Thousands	Thousands	Thousands	Thousands	Thousands
Maine	5,363	4,960	3,571	4,044	4,157	4,270	60,295
N.H.	1,176	971	741	901	1,012	1,149	16,743
Vt.	20	4	12	5	1	14	379
Mass.	1,410	1,236	1,004	1,107	1,193	1,320	22,571
R.I.	245	221	225	242	214	177	3,118
Conn.	3,676	3,217	2,443	3,202	3,050	2,689	45,450
N.E.	11,890	10,509	7,996	9,501	9,627	9,619	148,556
N.Y.	1,366	1,309	1,016	1,057	1,099	1,360	22,738
N.J.	1,160	850	970	1,000	990	970	27,500
Pa.	5,076	4,898	4,340	3,753	4,463	5,690	82,028
M.A.	7,602	7,057	6,326	5,810	6,552	8,020	132,266
Ohio	1,970	1,750	1,250	1,090	1,410	1,500	39,520
Ind.	6,758	6,156	4,977	4,542	4,840	5,201	91,739
Ill.	1,086	1,041	770	846	825	801	37,662
Mich.	670	630	610	700	580	850	16,500
Wis.	1,633	1,490	1,183	1,067	1,355	1,419	29,440
E.N.C.	12,117	11,067	8,790	8,245	9,010	9,871	214,911
Minn.	458	383	310	375	345	490	42,878
Iowa	520	425	185	220	375	445	56,900
Mo.	6,355	5,944	4,288	3,710	4,196	4,910	87,449
N.Dak.	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	3,628
S.Dak.	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	13,333
Nebr.	157	171	176	142	137	151	20,951
Kans.	344	282	290	272	315	363	13,674
W.N.C.	2/ 7,846	2/ 7,228	2/ 5,252	2/ 4,734	2/ 5,371	2/ 6,371	2/ 238,863
Del.	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/
Md.	9868	9,130	8,262	8,628	9,029	10,456	106,409
Va.	6,944	6,027	4,676	4,617	5,234	5,634	83,699
W.Va.	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/
N.C.	12,204	11,175	9,400	9,162	9,508	11,059	145,328
S.C.	1,731	1,547	1,371	1,511	1,671	1,754	23,428
Ga.	31,761	28,124	22,154	22,230	23,609	25,270	344,538
Fla.	2,212	2,006	2,082	2,197	2,067	2,174	28,981
S.A.	3/71,161	3/63,559	3/52,092	3/52,644	3/56,313	3/62,921	3/809,897
Ky.	1,329	1,108	783	725	880	1,135	18,520
Tenn.	3,690	3,355	3,370	3,480	3,290	3,400	49,715
Ala.	13,920	12,761	10,776	10,285	10,454	11,300	156,034
Miss.	10,050	9,446	7,786	8,011	8,092	8,827	113,952
E.S.C.	28,989	26,670	22,715	22,501	22,716	24,662	338,221
Ark.	13,533	12,067	10,430	10,033	10,677	11,724	154,492
Ia.	2,407	2,165	1,544	1,530	1,593	1,624	26,365
Okla.	605	572	475	330	523	660	12,585
Texas	11,522	10,274	8,743	9,163	8,499	8,337	134,192
W.S.C.	28,067	25,078	21,192	21,056	21,292	22,345	327,634
Mont. & Wyo. & N.Mex. 1/	17	5	12	17	25	8	1,937
Idaho	346	269	299	272	275	354	5,767
Colo.	147	108	107	97	111	126	3,513
Ariz.	123	132	141	113	146	161	2,105
Utah	245	152	163	219	158	275	4,093
Nev.	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Mount.	878	565	722	718	715	924	17,415
Wash.	1,666	1,800	1,604	1,540	1,683	1,543	24,454
Oreg.	1,395	1,215	1,023	876	944	1,176	18,704
Calif.	8,794	8,387	8,175	8,325	8,971	8,406	114,191
Pac.	11,855	11,402	10,802	10,741	11,598	11,125	157,349
U.S.	180,405	163,336	135,887	135,950	143,194	155,858	2,385,112

1/ Combined to avoid disclosing individual operations. 2/ West North Central total includes North and South Dakota. 3/ South Atlantic Total includes Delaware and West Virginia.

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